HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

SINGLE BENCH: HON'BLE SHRI H.L. DATTU, CJ.

Contempt Petition No.67 of 2007

PETITIONER Maheshram Chauhan S/o. Shri Bohitram aged about 54 years Occupation-Kotwar Village Kirari R/o Vill. Kirari, Tahsil Dabhara District – Janjgir – Champa (C.G.)

Versus

RESPONDENT CONTEMNOR Shri B.L. Tiwari, The Collector, Dist. Janjgir – Champa (C.G.)

Contempt Petition U/A 215 of the Constitution of India read with Section 12 of the Contempt of the Court Act.

Present: Shri Atul Pandey, counsel for the petitioner.
Shri Sumesh Bajaj, Government Advocate for the respondent.

ORAL ORDER
(Passed on 26th April, 2007)

This Court while disposing of W.P. No.6240/2006 on 24.11.2006, had directed the Collector, Janjgir, Champa to decide all the representations said to have been filed by the petitioner, in accordance with law.

(2) Alleging that the respondent has not considered the representations so filed by the petitioner, he is before this Court in this contempt petition *inter alia* stating that the respondent has willfully and deliberately disobeyed the orders and directions issued by this Court on 24.11.2006.

(3) Notice of this contempt petition was issued and served on the respondent. He has entered his appearance through learned Government Advocate and has also filed return. In that, he has stated on oath that all the representations of the petitioner have been considered and appropriate order has been passed. The only direction that was issued by this Court to the Collector was to consider the representations filed by the petitioner within a particular time frame. It is not disputed by the petitioner by filing a rejoinder to the counter filed by the respondent that the representations made by him have

not been considered by the respondent. Since there is substantial compliance of the orders and directions issued by this Court, cognizance of this contempt petition need not be taken by me. Accordingly the contempt petition is rejected. Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-
Chief Justice